

RAPID PROGRESS MADE ON FRICK MANSION

Fifth Avenue Home of Steel
Magnate Will Be Ready
Early Next Year.

PLOT COST \$2,400,000

Art Gallery Will House Valuable
Collection of Paintings
—Sunken Pool a Feature
of Structure.

Rapid progress is being made in putting up a home for Henry Clay Frick on the Fifth Avenue block front between 70th and 71st streets, where, for many years, the old Lenox Library stood. The contract provides that the house shall be ready for occupancy within eighteen months after the breaking of ground. The foundation work was completed in the spring of this year, and the entire premises will be turned over to Mr. Frick early next year.

As he bought the greater part of the site in 1905, when the Lenox Library was merged with the Astor Library and the Tilden Foundation, it has taken about seven years to get the site cleared for the building and to have the building almost ready for the interior decorations.

Mr. Frick is the lessee and occupant of the southern one of the Vanderbilt houses on Fifth Avenue, extending from 61st to 62d streets. His lease there does not expire until 1915, so his new home will be ready for him long before that lease expires. He pays \$50,000 a year rent for his present home.

Mr. Frick's new mansion is considered by many real estate experts to be principally notable for the following features: Its cost, area, design and gallery. It will be the second most valuable private dwelling in this city. There are only two other residences with a block frontage, namely, the Carnegie house, in Upper Fifth Avenue, and the Schwab house, at Riverside Drive. The design of the Frick house is plain, yet homelike. Another distinctive feature besides the art gallery will be a sunken pool, 60 feet long by 15 feet wide, which, at the square foot rate paid for the property by Mr. Frick, will cost for the ground alone \$85,000.

There are many men in the real estate field who prophesy that this is likely to be the last private dwelling that will ever be erected on an entire block front in Manhattan Island. The reason given is that the apartment house invasion in the choice residential sections of New York has reduced the available number of block fronts almost to the vanishing point. In other words, it is no longer possible for individuals or companies to get block front sites in the heart of the home sections of New York for private dwelling purposes.

Senator Clark's home, at 72d street and Fifth Avenue, which is the most expensive mansion in the city, cost between \$500,000 and \$750,000. The new home of Mr. Frick will cost about \$5,000,000. His house was designed by Carrère & Hastings, architects.

The house is on a plot with a frontage of 200.10 feet and a depth of 175 feet. Mr. Frick paid \$2,400,000 for the property. The general style of the house is in the Italian Renaissance, with here and there a hint of French and Colonial architecture, molded together to give an effect at once simple, dignified and homelike.

The house sets 75 feet from the avenue, with the exception of that part covered by the art gallery, at the northern end. The art gallery is 100 by 35 feet, and is one and one-half stories high. It is west and the high wall that is to extend around the entire premises. The building proper is three stories high, with an attic.

The main entrance to the house and gallery is from Fifth Avenue. Opening on to the main entrance is an immense hall, 20 by 41 feet, with a large library and drawing room on either side. The library is 45 by 25 feet, and the drawing room is 25 by 25 feet.

A living hall in the center extends clear through the house, and in the back of it, with easy access, will be built an interior garden.

The sunken pool, which will be close to Fifth Avenue, will be cut off from the view of the curious by a stone wall ornamented with carved balustrade.

The gallery will house the large collection of paintings of Mr. Frick. He is said to have paid \$300,000 for a portrait of King Philip IV of Spain, by Velasquez, and \$250,000 for a Rembrandt, "The Merchant." He also purchased the Rodin portrait of Lady Milnes, which was held at \$400,000.

The first incumbent of the chair at Vienna will be G. S. Fullerton, professor of philosophy at Columbia. He will lecture six weeks in the fall and six weeks in the spring on "The Realistic Philosophy of Experience."

In England and the United States and "The Constitution and Administration of American Universities." He also will lecture at Graz, Innsbruck and other cities. The Austrian professor to this country has not yet been appointed.

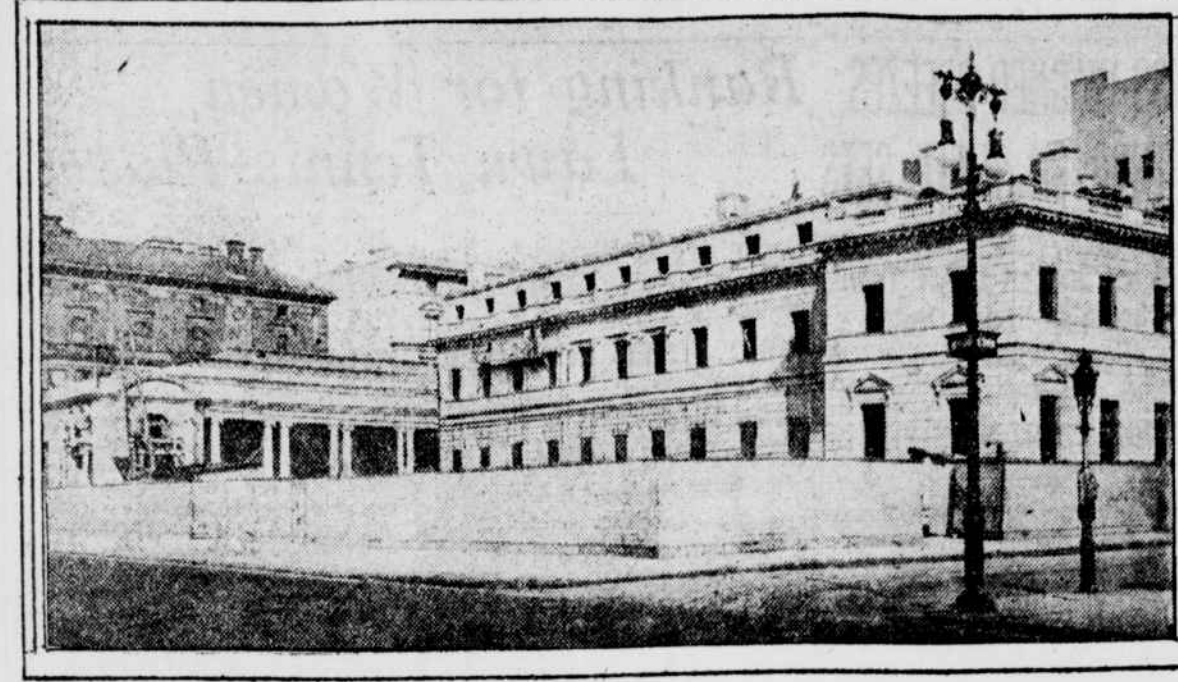
The Queen Wilhelmina professorship at Columbia this year will be filled by Leonard Charles Van Noppen, who will be heard on "Dutch Literature." The first holder of the chair was born in Holland, came to America as a child and was educated here. There will be no corresponding lecturer this year in Holland.

FRANCO-SPANISH AMITY
Exchange of Compliments May Lead to Virtual Alliance.

Paris, Sept. 16.—"La Revue," a publication devoted to Franco-Spanish interests, today publishes an article by the Foreign Minister, M. Stephen Pichon, recalling the historical association of the two countries. M. Pichon appeals especially for close collaboration in Africa, where, he says, the task undertaken by the two countries will progress surely and rapidly according as the collaboration is more intimate.

In view of President Poincaré's approaching voyage to Spain, it is believed that the article has particular significance as foreshadowing the entrance of Spain into the Triple Entente.

HENRY CLAY FRICK'S \$5,000,000 MANSION.



J. P. MORGAN GOES ABROAD

Will Take Six Weeks' Vacation
—Col. J. E. Willard Sails.

J. P. Morgan, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. William Pierson Hamilton, sailed on the North German Lloyd liner Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse yesterday for a six weeks' vacation in Europe. He will spend most of the time in England with his family, he said. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Satterlee and P. A. S. Franklin, vice-president of the International Mercantile Marine, in which Mr. Morgan is interested, were at the pier to bid him goodbye.

The same steamer carried Colonel Joseph E. Willard, of Richmond, Va., who will succeed Judge Henry E. Ide as the American Minister at Madrid. Dr. Henry van Dyke, the newly appointed Minister to the Netherlands, also sailed yesterday on the Holland-America liner Rotterdam. A fellow passenger was J. London, who has represented the Netherlands at Washington for several years. He is returning to become Minister of Foreign Affairs.

FLOWER PRIZES AWARDED

Newport Summer Residents
Open Fall Show.

Newport, Sept. 16.—The most attractive display of flowers, plants, fruits and vegetables from the gardens and greenhouses of the summer residents that has been shown in some years was seen this afternoon at the opening of the fall show of the Newport Horticultural Society.

The exhibit is held for the first time in the convention hall at Newport Beach. Exhibits from the gardens and greenhouses of Mrs. H. M. Mortimer Brooks, Mrs. Edward J. Herwind, Mrs. Hamilton McK. Twombly, Vincent Astor and Miss Fanny Foster.

There is a large display of dahlias, and for these a majority of the prizes went to Miss Foster. Vincent Astor fared well with his gardenias, and a cup was awarded to Mrs. E. Rollins Morse for a display of gladioli.

There were several exhibits for special prizes. Those that had been offered by Mrs. Hugh D. Auchincloss were won by August Belmont. These were for displays of outdoor flowers suitable for interior decorations. Mrs. Thomas J. Emery offered prizes for outdoor flowers suitable for table decoration, and the prizes went to Mrs. Brooks and Mr. Belmont's exhibits, while the prizes for table foliage plants offered by Mrs. John R. Drexel were divided between Mrs. Brooks and Vincent Astor.

WILSON FOR LEGAL REFORM

Will Support Bill to End Congestion Here.

Washington, Sept. 16.—A reform in the procedure in the federal courts is eagerly sought by the Attorney General, and one of the subjects he discussed with the President today was the bill of Senator O'Gorman, which is intended to relieve the congestion of cases in the New York courts.

President Wilson is in sympathy with the movement to expedite legal proceedings in the federal courts, and told Attorney General McKeenleys that he favored the "O'Gorman bill in principle." He believes that "endless litigation," a term now applied in a critical sense to many court actions, should be eliminated, and gave Mr. McKeenleys assurance that he was heartily in favor of the reforms which were begun by President Taft, and would use his influence toward the enactment of Senator O'Gorman's measure, and any other legislation having the same object in view.

It is probable that President Wilson will hold a conference with the Judiciary Committee of the Senate and House this fall and outline a programme to carry forward the reforms planned by President Taft. There is no doubt, however, that legislation to meet immediate demands and remedy present conditions will be enacted early in the next session.

PRESIDENT BACK AT WORK

Discusses Mexican Situation with Secretary Bryan.

Washington, Sept. 16.—Important conferences were held at the White House today following the President's return from Cornish, N. H. The President complained of a slight cold.

The Secretary of State talked over the Mexican situation. It was denied at the White House that President Wilson hurried back to Washington because of developments in Mexico. Patronage and currency were the subjects of the conference between the President and the Secretary of the Treasury.

The Attorney General said that he discussed several prospective appointments with the President. It is believed that he also took up the question of the investigation of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, although Mr. McKeenleys said that he had not yet received a report from T. S. Gregory, his assistant, who has been conducting the inquiry.

3,619 COMING ON IMPERATOR.

With the largest single passenger list that has ever crossed the Atlantic the Hamburg American liner Imperator is due to dock in Hoboken about 4 o'clock this afternoon. Though backing the highest seas she has yet encountered, her daily runs were 224, 236, 531 and 222 knots, according to wireless dispatches from Commodore Ruser. Among her 3,619 passengers are Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Judge and Mrs. E. H. Gary, Louis C. Tiffany and Colonel and Mrs. Harvey.

NEW YORK SOCIETY

Westchester Horse Show Is
Now Magnet for Fashion.

MANY IN COUNTRY PLACES

Much Entertaining Will Be Done
While Exhibition Lasts—Summer Folk Returning.

With the opening today of the twentieth annual exhibition of the Westchester County Horse Show Association, at White Plains, there will be much social activity in that section for the remainder of the week. Most of the country places in and around White Plains are open for the fall season, and will be filled with guests for the next few days, and many dinners and small dances will be given in their honor. Among the exhibitors at the show will be W. M. V. Hoffman, S. Bryce Wing, David Dows, Philip Boyer, Edward McLean, Hugh J. Chisholm, Dunlevy Milbank and J. Campbell Thompson. Alfred G. Vanderbilt will be one of the judges. The officers of the association are Oliver Harriman, president; R. W. Leonard, vice-president; Henry Rowland, treasurer; and W. S. Blitz, secretary. The directors include David Dows, J. Borden Harriman, S. Bryce Wing, Alfred B. Macley, J. Campbell Thompson, and Daniel G. Read.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Kidder have returned to the city from Southampton, Long Island, and are at the Hotel Vanderbilt.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Everet Macy have arrived in town from their country place at Scarborough-on-the-Hudson and are at the Hotel Gotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hiss are at the Meadow Club, Southampton, Long Island, for the month of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Giuseppe Catalini will remain at Bar Harbor until the end of the month, when they will go to South County, Conn., to stay with Mrs. Catalini's mother, Mrs. Henry F. Dimock.

Mr. and Mrs. William V. B. Kip will return to town from Spring Lake, N. J., in about a fortnight.

Mrs. Joseph W. Harriman will give a dance at Sherry's on December 31 for her daughter, Miss Miriam Harriman.

Admiral and Mrs. Willard H. Brownson, who were visiting in the Berkshires, have arrived in the city, and are at the Hotel Gotham.

Galla Albert Galla and Miss Cornelia Galla will return to the city from Bar Harbor at the end of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander D. B. Pratt, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Newbold Morris at Lenox, have returned to the city.

Mrs. J. Arden Harriman will close her place at Oyster Bay on October 5 and will return to the city. She will spend the winter at the Hotel Buckingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Devereux Emmet, who arrived from Europe a couple of days ago, are at the Hotel Belmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery Hare have returned to the city from Lenox, where they were the guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Osgood Field.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Milbank have returned to their country place at Port Chester, N. Y., from the White Mountains.

AT NEWPORT.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. de Forest has gone to Boston to visit her sister, Mrs. William Appleton.

Miss Laura Swan was reported as improved at the Newport Hospital today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Rollins Morse will give a dinner on Sunday night in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Tams, of Tuxedo.

Mrs. French Vanderbilt will remain at Harbour View all winter, was a dinner entertainer this evening.

Mrs. John Clinton Gray, of New York, formerly a prominent member of the summer colony, has been making a short visit here.

Mr. Henry Whitford Gray and Colonel and Mrs. Charles L. McCawley will leave on Tuesday, the former going to New York and the latter to Washington.

William P. Burden has gone to New York.

Henry Clews has closed his summer home, The Rocks.

IN THE BERKSHIRES.

Lenox, Aug. 16.—Mrs. James Archibald Murray entertained at luncheon today for Mr. and Mrs. John E. Parsons and Miss Parsons.

Mrs. Franklin C. Beale gave a luncheon today in honor of Mr. and Mrs. James Graham Parsons and Mrs. Horace Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Palmer gave a dinner to-night for Mr. and Mrs. Philip Blagden.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Cheate gave a large dinner at the Naumkeag in Stockbridge to-night.

William H. Dixon entertained a party of Lenox cottagers at luncheon at his country place in Williamstown this afternoon.

Mrs. Herbert C. Mason, of Boston, has arrived to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Peyton J. Van Rensselaer in Stockbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Newbold Morris have issued invitations for a dance at Brookhurst on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Williams returned to their home in Stonington, Conn., today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Hackett entertained at luncheon today for Mr. and Mrs. Alden A. Thorndike.

Among the arrivals at the Hotel Aspinwall today were Mr. and Mrs. Augustine J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Seely, Mrs. William Sinclair, Dr. George A. Taylor and Mrs. C. C. Shayne, of New York; Lieutenant and Mrs. A. C. Scott, U. S. N.; Mrs. Robert Jamison, Miss Jamison, Mrs. W. H. Kuhn, Miss Stevenson, of Pittsburgh, and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac B. Johnson, of Spuyten Duyvil.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schiff arrived at the Hotel Aspinwall to-night for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Douglas have been here for part of the season left today for Spuyten Duyvil, N. Y.

Misses Margaret and Augusta S. de Forest, returned to New York today.

Asst. E. P. Ripley, of Chicago; Miss May A. Sherwood, Miss Polly B. Young and H. T. Bailey, of Mount Kisco, are at the Maplewood, Pittsfield.

Edwin B. Meeks, Mrs. Dexter A. Hawkins, Miss Eleanor J. Fitzgerald and Miss A. Moffat, of New York, are at the Curtis Hotel.

AN ENGAGEMENT.

Philadelphia, Sept. 16.—Professor and Mrs. William Lydard Cathcart, of Germantown, have announced the engagement of their daughter Helen to Richard Harris, of New York.

VAUDEVILLE ACT IN COURT

Charles and Vesta Ahearn Tell of \$400-a-Week Troubles.

Charles Ahearn, who does seemingly hazardous tricks on bicycles in vaudeville, is suing Mrs. Vagta Powell Ahearn, who used to perform with him, for a separation, and Mrs. Ahearn asks for the same relief from the Supreme Court.

Mrs. Ahearn asked Justice Amend for \$30 a week alimony and \$1,000 counsel fees, and said that Ahearn earned \$600 a week. Ahearn told a story about an experience he had on July 7, when he went to Blairtown, N. J., to rehearse a new act. He was arrested on his arrival, Ahearn said, on a warrant sworn out by his wife.

Mrs. Ahearn explained that she had her husband arrested because of his associations with a certain woman of Blairtown, and she withdrew the charge because Ahearn promised to pay her \$300 and give her a diamond ring.

Ahearn complained that after his wife left him she acquired "the habit of high living because of associating with persons who spend money freely and dine in the best restaurants and cafes." He said he received \$400 a week for his act, but that he had to pay nine other performers in his troupe and had a large expense for the carrying of his baggage. He said:

"I performed a strenuous act that I can't continue it for many years." Justice Amend allowed Mrs. Ahearn \$5 a week.

SHUBERT SUMMONS DROPPED

Magistrate Dismisses Complaint of Man Ejected from "Lure."

Magistrate Marsh, in the West Side court, dismissed yesterday a complaint which had been brought by John R. Hall, of the McAlpin Hotel, against Frederick Zweifel, manager for the Shuberts. Magistrate Marsh, at Hall's request, had issued a summons for Zweifel and for Lee Shubert.

Hall, who is manager of the Moisant International Aviatrix, alleged that he was ejected from Maxine Elliott's Theatre on September 10 by Lee Shubert and Frederick Zweifel after he had given his opinion of "The Lure" in response to a general invitation issued to the audience from the stage. John P. Howe, chief of the Fire Prevention Bureau, and others testified that Hall was ejected at Howe's request by a police sergeant.

DIPLOMATIC 'EXAMS' POSTPONED.

Washington, Sept. 16.—The date for holding the examinations for entry into the diplomatic service has been postponed from October 20 to November 17. The next consular examination and that for entry as student interpreter and consular assistant will be on January 14, 1914.

NEW SINGERS IN "AIDA"

Second Performance at Century
Gains in Smoothness.

CHALMERS SCORES A HIT

Work of Young Barytone Delights Lovers of Opera in English.

The Century Opera Company, whose performance of "Aida" Monday night proved of good omen for the believers in popular opera in English, repeated the opera last night with a practically new cast.

The opening performance possessed many crudities, especially in the orchestra, that militated not a little against the full appreciation of the work. These defects, it was stated, were due chiefly to lack of rehearsal, and the justice of this was made apparent last night. Conductor Szentpali had his musicians under far more perfect control, and as a result the nuances of the score were admirably brought out, while there was a general drive to the ensemble, which brought forth whirlwinds of applause after the great scene in the second act.

As to the principals, it is somewhat difficult to see why several of them were not billed for the opening night, as, on the whole, they displayed distinctly greater knowledge of stage routine and considerably less nervousness. Perhaps first honors last night went to Thomas Chalmers, a young American barytone, whose Anemonia proved altogether worthy of the traditions established by the stage of the Metropolitan. Mr. Chalmers' clear, resonant, youthful voice, his fine bearing, his fire, his dramatic intelligence should bring him to regions other than those devoted to popular opera.

In addition, his diction was as distinct as even the most enthusiastic lovers of English could desire—quite the best that has been heard of late years on the New York stage.

The Rhodames was Gustav Bergman, a singer whose voice was a tenor of agreeable quality and ample range and who made a distinctly favorable impression. He possessed in addition a fine figure, a mobile face and considerable histrionic power. Miss Lois Ewell sang Aida, and despite a costume and wig that brought into mind the daughter of Pouchard rather than of Anemonia, gave a thoroughly competent impersonation. Her voice was of true dramatic power and one that she used with skill, though a greater variety of tone color might have been wished for.

Miss Mary Jordan's Anmeris was a princess of truly regal bearing, while her voice possessed both poise and tone and richness of timbre. The rest of the cast was the same as at the opening performance.

The audience was again of capacity size, and far more than the one of the preceding night, was there primarily to enjoy. It enjoyed and showed its enjoyment with delightful unrestraint—quite, in fact, according to the fashion that should warm the cockles of all hearts that beat high for popular opera.

The Century Opera Company has made a distinctly favorable start. All will hope that it will end by solving a problem which Anglo-Saxondom had previously considered as unsolvable. The shrine for popular opera in English is now situated on Central Park West. Let the faithful heed!

"HER LITTLE HIGHNESS" HEARD.

Boston, Sept. 16.—"Her Little Highness," the new Reginald De Koven musical piece, with book by Channing Pollock and Renold Wolf, was produced here to-night by Werba and Luescher at the Tremont Theatre. The piece, which is in three acts, proves to be a play treated operatically rather than the conventional comic opera or musical comedy. Mizzi Hajos has the title role.

CLEAN UP AT CARNEGIE HALL.

Carnegie Hall has been cleaned and redecorated during the last few months. The work has been chiefly confined to the auditorium, its vestibule and the several corridors. The general idea is practically a repetition of the original decorative plan of the hall, the stake coloring being less deep than hitherto. Many other minor improvements have been made, especially in the scheme of lighting. The upholstery, excepting the carpets and chair coverings, has also been renewed.

"THE ESCAPE" HERE SATURDAY.

"The Escape," the latest play by Paul Armstrong, the author of "Salome Jane," "Almas Jimmy Valentine" and "The Deep Purple," will receive its first local presentation at the Lyric Theatre, Saturday evening. The cast includes Jerome Patrick, George Farren, Harry Mestayer, Charles Mylott, James A. Marcus, Seth Smith, Benjamin Piazza, Catherine Calvert, Jessie Ralph, Anne McDonald and Crosby Little.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

"Shadowed," the new play which comes to the Fulton Theatre next Wednesday, left town for Syracuse yesterday, where it opens at the Empire Theatre to-night. The cast includes Eva MacDonald, Olive May, Kate Mayhew, William Melrose, Frank Monroe, William Conklin, I. F. Simpson, Charles Francis, W. L. Greenville, Henry Warwick and Emmett Shackelford.

William Morris announces that the Jardin de Danse is to be continued as an all-the-year-round feature with new furnishings, an improved heating plant and increased restaurant facilities.

James Bradbury has been engaged by Wagenhals & Kemper to play the old German doctor in the new De Mille comedy "After Five."

T. A. Liebler announces W. W. Aulick, who has been stricken with paralysis last April, has so far recovered that he will be able to resume his duties as general press representative for the Liebler company within the next few weeks.

Felix Edwards, the English stage director, who produced "Bunny Pells with Strings," sails for this country today on the Baltic to superintend rehearsals of the American production of "General John Regan." With Mr. Edwards come Marie O'Neill and W. G. Fay, the former Irish Players, who will have important parts in this play.

Cyril Maude has engaged Montague Love, a young English actor, for the company to support him throughout his American tour. Mr. Maude's daughter, Margery, Lenora Pawle, Edward Combs, Hunter Nesbitt, Arthur Curtiss, John Harwood, the stage director; Mary Merrill, Margaret Swallow, Lena Halliday and Emma Chambers are others of the company of thirty that will make the tour.

NO ROOM FOR MOURNERS

Requests for Seats Swamp
Gaynor Funeral Committee.

CITY TO HALT FOR BURIAL

Honorary Pallbearers Include
W. H. Taft and Other Personal Friends of Mayor.

The committee on arrangements for Mayor Gaynor's funeral were busy yesterday working out the details for the public service at Trinity and the final arrangements for the lying-in-state in the City Hall. One of the most difficult problems is to find room for the many organizations and individuals who have applied for seats at the church. Only small delegations can be accommodated from the various organizations, more than one hundred of which have so far requested seats.

Robert Adamson announced yesterday the names of the twelve men who will act as honorary pallbearers at the funeral. They were selected by Mrs. Gaynor from among the personal friends of the late Mayor, he said. The list is as follows:

William H. Taft, Mayor Ardolph L. Kline, Justice Martin J. Keogh, Herman Ridder, Jacob H. Schiff, Robert Adamson, R. A. C. Smith, James Creelman, Archibald R. Watson, Edward M. Groat, Rhineland Waldo and John D. Crimmins.

The Board of Aldermen met in response to the call of Mayor Kline in special session at noon yesterday, and a resolution was adopted on the death of Mayor Gaynor. The board voted to attend the funeral in a body, and adjourned without further business as a mark of respect to the late Mayor. The Public Service Commission met and resolved to adjourn until Tuesday out of respect for the dead Mayor. It was announced that the Metropolitan Museum of Art will be closed to the public until 1 o'clock on Monday, the day of the funeral.

Among the requests received by Mr. Adamson for seats at the funeral in Trinity were those from all the foreign consuls in this city. The Sons of Onondia, of which Mayor Gaynor was president, asked to attend the funeral in a body, but because of the limited seating capacity a delegation of twenty-five members will attend. The judges and court officers will attend. The judges and court officers will attend. The judges and court officers will attend.

The members of the Public Service Commission and members of all the commissions which were appointed by the late Mayor will attend in a body. There will be delegations from each of the local regiments. The Interborough Women Teachers' Association, of which Grace Strachan is president, will be represented by a delegation. Mayor Gaynor signed the bill which helped them in their fight for equal pay.

Thomas W. Churchill, president of the Board of Education, who was added to the committee on arrangements, announced yesterday that memorial services will be held in all the public schools at the same time that the ceremony is taking place at Trinity. A delegation of school children will attend the funeral.

Commissioner Edwards of the Street Cleaning Department issued an order yesterday that there will be no work in his department on Monday, between the hours of 10:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m., except where special details of sweeps are made. William McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, yesterday said that he had issued an order to facilitate the removal of the Mayor's body from the Lustania in every way possible.

The board of governors of the Stock Exchange appointed yesterday a committee to attend the funeral, consisting of James B. Mahon, president of the exchange; Charles M. Newcombe, Henry C. Swords, R. T. H. Halsey and William H. Remick. The Chamber of Commerce will be represented by a delegation of five members.

Police Commissioner Waldo will be in charge of the funeral procession, the details of which have not been completed. Details for the funeral were completed last night by Inspector Schmittberger, who has been working on the arrangements several days. A force of seventeen hundred men is to be drawn from the various precincts. The list has been approved by Commissioner Waldo. It will include 40 captains, 150 lieutenants, 200 sergeants and 1,200 patrolmen.

The attention of Collector Mitchell, fusion candidate for Mayor, was called yesterday to the fact that the flags on the Custom House were not at half-mast, like the flags in the city, out of respect for Mayor Gaynor. Mr. Mitchell explained that the federal regulations did not permit him to lower the flags except at the death of a federal official unless he first obtained permission from Washington. He said he sent yesterday the following letter to William McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury:

"I respectfully request that authority be granted to half-mast the flags on this building the day on which the body of Mayor Gaynor arrives in this city and until after his funeral. It seems to me proper and fit for the local federal officials to join in this tribute to the chief magistrate of this city, and I would suggest that such an order be issued to the custodians of all federal buildings in this city. The flags of all other buildings are flying at half-mast, the federal buildings being conspicuous exceptions."

DUTCH WOMEN TO VOTE

Constitution of The Netherlands Is To Be Modified.

The Hague, Sept. 16.—There is every indication that women will shortly obtain the parliamentary franchise in Holland, as in the speech from the throne, delivered at the opening of the States General today, the new Dutch Cabinet states its intention of granting the vote to women.